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For: DIELECTRIC BACKFILL FOR OPTICAL MODULATORS USING RIDGED SUBSTRATES

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date 9 October 2002, in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant hereby cites the documents listed in accompanying Form PTO-1449 with respect to the above-referenced patent application under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.97(b). Copies of the documents are attached.

The undersigned hereby certifies that each item of information contained in the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the Statement.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to make of record those references deemed to be material to examination of this application.

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